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DEVELOPMENT OF AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES
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Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has reviewed the implementation of the Centrally sponsored schemes for the development of agro and rural industries:

(b) If so, the details thereof, State-wise and Union Territory-wise;

(c) Whether there is any coordination with the State Governments for the implementation of these schemes;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the targets have been fixed for setting up of agro and rural industries;

(f) if so, the achievements made in terms of employment generation and production during each of the last three years, State and UT-wise;

(g) the allocation made to each State and UT during the said period; and.

(h) the steps taken to achieve the targets by these States and Union Territories lagging behind ?

Answer

MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD)

(a) to (h) The only Centrally sponsored Scheme, namely, Co-operativisation, implemented by the Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises till the end of X Plan has been reviewed in the zero based budgeting exercise for the annual plan 2006-2007 and it was discontinued during the XI Plan as there was poor response from the State Governments. No funds were released under the scheme during the last three years.